## Title 16: History, Humanities and Arts - Mississippi Library Commission

## **Part 160: LIBRARY SERVICES**

## Part 160, Chapter 3, Usage Policies

## Rule 160.3.8 Proper Conduct.

A. General Rules of Conduct.

- 1. All library users are entitled to a clean and safe facility; courteous assistance from knowledgeable staff; reasonable access to library resources; and a quiet research environment.
- 2. All library users have an obligation to interact courteously with other users and staff; maintain accessibility to library materials by checking out and returning materials properly; maintaining a quiet research environment while in the facility; and abide by the Library Commission Code of Use and Conduct.
- 3. Library users shall conduct themselves in a manner which enables other users, staff, and themselves to accomplish intended tasks in a safe, pleasant, and orderly atmosphere. Users shall respect the rights of others and to treat the facility and resources with due care.
- 4. Supervision, behavior, use of resources, and safety of children in the Library Commission is the responsibility of the child's parent, guardian, or caregiver. Rules of conduct shall be enforced.
- 5. Agency staff will listen to, and respond when appropriate, to complaints voiced. Staff will take appropriate action when user behavior causes disruption or unreasonable interference in the delivery or receipt of services.
- 6. Carrying firearms or other items used as weapons on Library Commission property is not permissible except by authorized law enforcement officers.